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CORDER ITEMS.
Fletcher Groves was in Kansas City Tuesday.
Taylor Alcar shipped a car load of cattle to St. Louis Monday.
J. L. Burk spent the first part of the week in Independence.
C. L. Wilson attended the Masonic Grand lodge in St. Louis and Miss Edna Dean is attending the Grand Chapter as a delegate.
H. L. Hackley and wife of Slater spent Sunday with homefolks.
Miss Ella Haas and Mrs. Robert Frerking returned home Tuesday after a visit in Kansas City.
Henry Johnson of Western Texas has been here for the past week visiting old friends.
Miss Mary Carlton spent Sunday at home and returned Monday morning to resume her school teaching.
Mrs. C. C. Glusker returned home after a three week's visit in Kansas City.
Gordon Jackson of Waverly is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Jackson.
Mrs. Frank Shults and Mrs. Neal Lewis were shopping in Higginsville Wednesday.
Dr. E. E. Moore and family moved into the property on Main street known as the Knipmeyer place, Monday.
S. P. Kelley and wife returned home Wednesday after a visit with relatives in Kansas City.
Miss Rena Jackson of south of town is attending the high school here.
John Fowler of Sweet Springs who is laying brick at the new school building, on account of the shortage of lime made a flying trip home Tuesday and returned Wednesday.
Mrs. John Waltons of Hodge passed through here on her way to the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Ida Petering, of Higginsville.
Mrs. Will Willis of Norborne visited friends in and near this vicinity the first part of the week.
Allen Poshall shipped a car load of cattle to St. Louis market Monday.
L. W. Roth sold his cattle to Ed Housea at \$70 a head.
The brick work on the new school building was completed Thursday and the carpenters will begin work as soon as possible.
The First Year Literary Society re-organized Monday evening and will take up the society work where they left off the close of last year's term of school. Odes See was elected chairman, Miss Josephine Groves vice president and Miss Helen Groves secretary. The program committee consisted of Corder Reynolds, Mary Hammel and Bernice Bassett. The motto is yet unnamed.
A party of school children of room No. 4 went nutting last Saturday with Miss Mary Marquis as chaperone and enjoyed a day in the woods. The crowd met at the school house Saturday morning and soon left on a hay frame for Bethel where they roved the woods until late in the evening and all worn out they started for home. They had not gone far when a shower overtook them and gave them a through drenching before they could reach town. But notwithstanding a shower bath they all report a good time. The party consisted of Misses Helen Groves, Mary Hammel Ruth Peeples and Lula Ernestmeyer; Willie Richardson, Leslie Prosser, Clarence Lee, Everett Morgan and Johnie Hughs.

Lectured on Religious Liberty.
Mrs. Lula Wightman, a member of the Central States Religious Liberty Association and who travels and lectures under the auspices of this society, addressed the people of Lexington upon the subject, "Religious Liberty vs. Intolerance and Bigotry," at the court house Thursday night. Mrs. Wightman is an advocate of Religious Liberty and has been making a state wide tour of Missouri delivering lectures in the interest of the work of the association. The Central States Liberty association is composed of 10,000 Christian individuals and its doctrine is opposition to a union of church and state, organic or inorganic; or to the control of the civil institutions of the land by organized religion. Mrs. Wightman is reputed to be a very well-informed and interesting lecturer and will undoubtedly make her subject interesting to her audience. The lecture is free and everyone is cordially invited to attend. A special invitation is extended to the ladies.
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Democratic State Campaign Fund.
St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 5, 1908.
My dear sir—The State Democratic Committee desires to appeal to the Democratic county press to take a part in the work of raising funds for the expenses of this campaign. The Republicans will doubtless have more money at their disposal this year than ever before in the history of politics to use in an effort to carry the State for their National and State tickets. This committee must depend upon the loyalty and enthusiasm of individual Democrats to contribute a fund sufficient to meet the legitimate expenses of our campaign.
Several county papers have voluntarily undertaken this work. I hope that you will cordially co-operate with us in this labor and suggest that you personally solicit a list of subscribers at once in sums of \$1.00 and over; publish the names and amount contributed by each in your paper and ask for other contributions. The amount may be sent by draft to the State Democratic Committee, Room 400 Southern Hotel.
I am sending you herein some blanks for soliciting subscriptions. If the lists are returned to me, you can promise each subscriber who wants one a large picture of Mr. Bryan or Mr. Cowherd free.
Thanking you in advance for your support of this suggestion, I am
Yours very truly,
H. F. CHILDERS
Chairman News Bureau State Committee.

SUMMER TOURISTS FARES.
The Chicago & Alton have on sale daily until Sept. 30th, 1908, tourist tickets at greatly reduced fares to points in the East, West, North, South and Southwest; long limits and liberal stop-over privileges.
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Ticket Agent C. & A. R. R.
Guardian's Notice.
The undersigned was appointed guardian of the person and estate of Jane F. Neill, a person of unbecoming mind, February 3, 1908, by the Probate Court of Lafayette county, Missouri. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for all allowance to the undersigned within one year after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of said letters they will be forever barred.
This 24th day of August, 1908.
STEPHEN N. WILSON.
9-5-15

ADMINISTRATOR NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Julius Franz deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 10th day of September, 1908, by the probate court of Lafayette county, Missouri. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for all allowance to the administrator within one year after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they shall be forever barred.
This 10th day of September, 1908.
U. G. PHETZING
Administrator

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OFFICIAL STATEMENT of the Financial Condition of the
State Bank of Dover
At Dover, State of Missouri, at the close of business on the 3rd day of September, 1908. Published in the LEXINGTON INTELLIGENCER, a newspaper printed and published at Lexington, State of Missouri, on the 3rd day of October, 1908.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts, personal or collateral	\$12,332.49
Loans, real estate	2,500.00
Overdrafts	544.57
Bonds and stocks	2,400.00
Real estate (banking house)	10,000.00
Other real estate	2,500.00
Furniture and fixtures	369.35
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check	5,608.41
Cash items	73.21
Currency	574.00
Specie	531.48
Other resources as follows:	
Net Expense	1,948.32
Total	\$29,702.22
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$10,000.00
Surplus fund	12,000.00
Undivided profits, net	15,716.30
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	3,413.38
Individual deposits subject to check	208,560.40
Time certificates of deposit	55,185.71
Demand certificates of deposit	3,358.00
Cashier's checks	73.21
Bills payable and re-discounts	18,000.00
Other liabilities as follows: Unpaid dividends	80.00
Total	\$29,702.22

STATE OF MISSOURI,
COUNTY OF LAFAYETTE.
We, H. L. Corbin as president, and O. G. Congdon as cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
H. L. CORBIN, President.
O. G. CONGDON, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 3rd day of September, A. D., nineteen hundred and eight.
Witness my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid. Commissioned and qualified for a term expiring May 25th, 1909.
WILLIAM W. KING,
Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
PHILLIP WAHL,
LOUIS ARTH,
WM. W. KING, {Directors.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT of the Financial Condition of the
Traders Bank,
At Lexington, State of Missouri, at the close of business on the 3rd day of September, 1908. Published in the LEXINGTON INTELLIGENCER, a newspaper printed and published at Lexington, State of Missouri, on the 3rd day of October, 1908.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts, personal or collateral	\$102,019.87
Loans, real estate	32,865.00
Overdrafts	5,841.50
Bonds and Stocks	1,500.00
Real estate (banking house)	20,000.00
Other real estate	1,500.00
Furniture and fixtures	1,500.00
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check	46,148.61
Cash items	1,685.23
Currency	3,358.00
Specie	8,014.41
Other resources as follows:	
Total	\$238,042.61
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	12,000.00
Undivided profits, net	15,716.30
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	3,413.38
Individual deposits subject to check	208,560.40
Time certificates of deposit	55,185.71
Demand certificates of deposit	3,358.00
Cashier's checks	73.21
Bills payable and re-discounts	18,000.00
Other liabilities as follows: Unpaid dividends	80.00
Total	\$238,042.61

STATE OF MISSOURI,
COUNTY OF LAFAYETTE.
We, W. G. McCausland, as president, and B. H. Ireland, as cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
W. G. McCausland, President.
B. H. IRELAND, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 1st day of October, A. D., nineteen hundred and eight.
Witness my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid. Commissioned and qualified for a term expiring December 7th, 1909.
HORACE F. BLACKWELL,
Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
M. D. WILSON,
WILLIAM A. WILL,
J. G. CRENSHAW, {Directors.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT of the Financial Condition of the
Lexington Savings Bank
At Lexington, State of Missouri, at the close of business on the 3rd day of September, 1908. Published in the LEXINGTON INTELLIGENCER, a newspaper printed and published at Lexington, State of Missouri, on the 3rd day of October, 1908.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts, personal or collateral	\$ 249,371.20
Loans, real estate	45,350.00
Overdrafts	4,562.29
Bonds and stocks	10,000.00
Real estate (banking house)	10,000.00
Other real estate	2,836.00
Furniture and fixtures	1,500.00
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check	135,006.77
Cash items	73.21
Currency	18,000.00
Specie	7,348.29
Other resources as follows:	32.23
Total	\$ 467,369.45
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	20,000.00
Undivided profits, net	3,834.71
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	3,413.38
Individual deposits subject to check	275,300.95
Time certificates of deposit	111,600.44
Demand certificates of deposit	11,728.00
Cashier's checks	73.21
Bills payable and re-discounts	18,000.00
Other liabilities as follows: Unpaid dividends	200.00
Total	\$ 467,369.45

STATE OF MISSOURI,
COUNTY OF LAFAYETTE.
I, Walter B. Waddell, President and Acting Cashier of said bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
WALTER B. WADDELL,
President and Acting Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 2nd day of September, A. D., nineteen hundred and eight.
Witness my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid. Commissioned and qualified for a term expiring January 31st, 1909.
F. LEE WALLACE,
Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
SANDFORD SELLERS,
W. D. HARKIN,
E. F. NICHOLSON, {Directors.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT of the Financial Condition of the
MORRISON-WENTWORTH BANK
At Lexington, State of Missouri, at the close of business on the 3rd day of September, 1908. Published in the LEXINGTON INTELLIGENCER, a newspaper printed and published at Lexington, State of Missouri, on the 3rd day of October, 1908.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts, personal or collateral	\$101,023.35
Loans, real estate	9,148.00
Overdrafts	10.19
Bonds and stocks	10.19
Real estate (banking house)	2,500.00
Other real estate	2,500.00
Furniture and fixtures	1,500.00
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check	15,168.47
Cash items	23.00
Currency	1,315.24
Specie	1,315.24
Other resources as follows:	
Total	\$129,624.55
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	3,220.00
Undivided profits, net	1,835.97
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	3,413.38
Individual deposits subject to check	62,443.39
Time certificates of deposit	11,728.00
Demand certificates of deposit	11,728.00
Cashier's checks	73.21
Bills payable and re-discounts	18,000.00
Other liabilities as follows: Unpaid dividends	100.00
Total	\$129,624.55

STATE OF MISSOURI,
COUNTY OF LAFAYETTE.
We, Richard Field as President, and Samuel J. Andrew, Cashier, of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
RICHARD FIELD, President.
SAMUEL J. ANDREW, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 28th day of September, A. D., nineteen hundred and eight.
Witness my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid. Commissioned and qualified for a term expiring Dec. 8, 1909.
U. G. PHETZING, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
FERDINAND T. BATES,
J. HARNETT YOUNG,
GEO. M. CATRON, {Directors.